

The Pioneer.

Bridgeton, N. J., June 21st, 1883.

Advertisements and communications to insure insertion, should be handed in by Tuesday evening of each week. No notice will be taken of anonymous communications. Marriages and deaths inserted gratuitously.

THE MARKETS.

These markets are corrected weekly, by the leading dealers of Bridgeton.

BRIDGETON, June 20, 1883.	
Wheat	20
Oats	15
Corn	12
Hay	18
Orchard Grass Seed	2.00
Timothy	2.25
Clover Seed	2.00
German Millet	1.00
American Millet	1.00
Hungarian Grass	1.00
Blue Wood	4.00
Pine Wood	3.50
Schuykill Coal, Stove and Egg	2.50
Lehigh Coal, Stove and Egg	2.50
Anthracite Coal, Stove and Egg	2.50
Pork, per lb.	12
Hams	12
Lard	12
Eggs, per doz.	15
Butter, per lb.	15
Spring Chickens	15
Squabs	15
Ducks	15
Geese	15
Turkeys	15

LOCAL NEWS.

Buy the Light Running Household Sewing Machine of R. H. Dare, No. 26 South Laurel St.

Jacob Kienle, Esq., has been seriously ill, but is recovering.

Lieutenant David Penock, U. S. Navy, is home visiting relatives and friends.

Shoemaker & Bro's., is the place to buy one dollar's worth of groceries for ninety cents.

The steamer "Maid of Kent," will visit this city July 4th, with an excursion from Leipzig, Delaware.

Mr. Chas. Shull has been appointed Special officer for the race bank, on Sundays. This is a good selection.

Don't pay ten cents for an article when you can buy it for nine cents at Shoemaker & Bro's.

Buy your Sewing Machines where you can get them cheapest, of R. H. Dare, 26 South Laurel Street, Bridgeton.

Our police force is composed of good material. All of its members are active and faithful in the execution of the laws.

Before buying five dollar's worth of groceries see how much you can save by buying them of Shoemaker & Bro.

The Trinity M. E. Sunday School went on an excursion, Wednesday, over the Cumberland and Maurice River Railroad.

The people have found out the truth. The finest cigars are made without artificial flavor, hence the popularity of Elmer and Davis' cigars.

Why don't the Board of Freeholders proceed to erect a fence around the rear of the Court House grounds? It is about time that matter was attended to.

Sheriff Husted's mother-in-law, Mrs. Hannah Husted, aged seventy-four years, has recently finished a bed quilt that contains 2,295 pieces.

Our townsman, Martin Anderson, Esq., has a pretty cottage at Sea Isle City, which he has purchased for the use of his family during the Summer season.

A cabinet of minerals and apparatus have been donated to the South Jersey Institute by the Board of Trustees of Pierce Academy, Middleboro, Mass.

Daniel Harris, Sr., who resides in Lower Hopedale township, lost a barn by fire on Saturday afternoon last. The horses were saved by his son. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Prof. A. E. Prince, of the Bank street public school, left this city Monday, for his father's home in New Sharon, Maine. The Professor has just completed another very successful school year.

The law prohibiting the sale of cigarettes, or tobacco in any of its forms, to boys under sixteen years of age, goes into effect July 1st, next. The penalty is \$30.00 fine for each and every violation.

Wm. Nagle, on West Vine street, has, perhaps, the best cherry tree in this city. It is so heavily laden with fruit that cherries can be picked from its limbs while a person is sitting on the ground.

Superintendent L. H. Dowd, of the Cumberland and Maurice River Railroad, left home Monday morning for Chicago, Illinois, on a visit to the National Exhibition of Engines and Railway appliances.

Two Millville gents were arrested in Bridgeton a few evenings since, for fast driving. They were taken before the Mayor and fined. A young man was arrested on Monday evening for profanity. The usual fine was imposed.

The handsome steamer "Thomas P. Clyde," left Bridgeton Wednesday morning at 7 o'clock, with some four hundred excursionists for Cape May and the sea. The "Clyde" is one of the largest and best boats on the Delaware river. She made a splendid appearance as she left the wharf decorated with bunting.

The Flint Glass blowers, of Millville, have elected Wm. L. Dooling, Joseph Engomire, John Heintz and John Kellock, delegates to the National Convention of Flint Glass Makers, at Boston, Mass., July 5th. One of the delegates, Mr. Heintz, is a native of Bridgeton. He is a worthy young man, and will prove a faithful representative of the glass workers.

Our Grand Army boys propose to have a bang up time on the glorious Fourth. They have secured a number of guns from the State, and are now at work trying to get a six pounder brass cannon from the Arsenal, at Trenton. We hope they will succeed. What we need around Bridgeton is a little more noise in the Fourth, such as we used to have in the days before the war, when the boys played the fife, the drum, the kettle, Eddy Sam, the big drum, and the big gun.

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Dr. J. G. Streets and brother have removed their office to 137 East Commerce street, second floor, opposite First Baptist Church.

Buy the New Home, Remington or American Sewing Machines where you can get them cheaper than at any other place in town. R. H. Dare, No. 26 South Laurel St.

Our people want a good steamboat to run to Philadelphia, and also to make excursions to Sea Breeze and Port Jervis, especially the latter place. We all want to go down about once a week, to see Bates, and get a good, solid fish and oyster dinner.

Dr. J. G. Streets is removing the old house from the lot where it has stood so many years, preparatory to erecting a handsome residence for himself. The Doctor's property is one of the finest in Bridgeton. The new house will be in modern style and finish, and will prove an attractive feature to the neighborhood.

Work has been commenced on the new residence of D. P. Mulford, Jr., on East Avenue, First Ward. This is to be a very pretty house, cottage style, built on plans furnished by James E. Hicks. Mr. Hicks is now engaged in preparing plans for the new home which Mayor Smalley will soon erect on the Avenue, nearly opposite the residence of R. C. Nichols, Esq.

Isaac Pedrick, Esq., for many years a resident of Bridgeton, but now a citizen of Philadelphia, paid the Pioneer office a visit recently. Mr. Pedrick retains his average good health, and, although somewhat advanced in years, continues at his occupation of pattern making with vigor. He is a gentleman of extensive knowledge, pleasant and agreeable. We are always glad to see him.

The directors of the "Bridgeton National Bank" have purchased the Geo. Lawrence property on South Laurel street. The site fronts 19 1/2 feet on Laurel street, and has a depth of ninety feet. Price paid, \$3,800. The situation is a good one, being in the business heart of the city, convenient for almost everybody. Possession will be had September 15th, when active preparations will begin for the erection of a handsome bank building.

A large party of ladies and gentlemen met at Sheriff Husted's residence Tuesday evening, and proceeded from thence to the home of J. Ward Richardson, Esq., one of the editors of the Evening News. Mr. Richardson and lady were taken completely by surprise. The party took complete possession of the house and enjoyed themselves hugely. A collation was served, speeches made, and a very pleasant time had by all present. Many of our prominent citizens were in attendance.

A. L. Robeson Post, Grand Army of the Republic, is making arrangements for the celebration of the Fourth of July on a large scale. According to the program, they will have a parade through the principal streets in the morning, reading of the Declaration of Independence, and an oration at Harris' Grove. In the evening there will be a grand display of fireworks, which the Post intends shall surpass that of last year. During the afternoon there will be a balloon ascension, and at six o'clock a sham battle between the comrades. An abundance of refreshments will be provided at the Grove.

Institute week was a grand success. The Philosophical and Ingelow Societies, gave fine entertainments at the Institute, which were largely attended by the friends of the school. At the annual meeting of the Alumni Association, held in the First Baptist Church, June 18th, the day previous to the Commencement exercises, Wm. Lott, of the class of '78, was chosen President; John P. Hunt, '80, Vice-President; H. D. Gilman, '78, Secretary and Treasurer; H. M. Trask, '80, Alexander Fithian, '81, members of the Executive Committee for three years, and Thomas Trenchard, '82, member to fill vacancy caused by the resignation of E. N. English, '78. Richard Horner was elected orator for next year, and James Ware, '79, after next. H. M. Trask, '80, prophet; Miss Josie Carl, alternate; Wm. B. Kirby, '79, poet.

The Commencement exercises of the South Jersey Institute, held at Moore's Music Hall, Thursday morning last, were unusually happy. The capacious hall was filled with a large audience of our best people. The stage was decorated beautifully with plants and flowers. On the platform were Prof. H. K. Trask, Mrs. Trask, the gentlemen and lady teachers, the Trustees of the Institute, the graduating class, and several clergymen of different denominations. The exercises opened with an overture by the Germania Orchestra, of Philadelphia, Wm. Stoll, Jr., Conductor. An eloquent prayer was then offered by Rev. J. Allen Maxwell, of Titusville, Pa., formerly pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, this city. Joseph S. Moore, of the graduating class, then delivered the "Salutatory," which was a model speech, full of good thoughts. This was followed by an essay by Miss Lillian Hammon, of Deerfield, entitled "Who Wins?" It was an able paper, and one that reflects much credit on the young lady. Following this the Orchestra gave the waltz, "Jeunesse Doree," which was beautifully rendered. Warren S. Porch, of Bridgeton, in the oration "Decline of American Commerce," presented facts and figures strikingly illustrative of the unfortunate condition of our commerce. Miss Clara L. Mulford, of Cedarville, rendered the essay, "Grecian History," in excellent style. The selection, which followed, by the Germania Orchestra, of Philadelphia, was a gem of music. Richard Burrows, delivered an oration, which exhibited the prominent traits of character of that grand old man "Peter Cooper," and Miss Phoebe R. Westcott, of Fairfield, followed with a well delivered and written essay, on "Compensation." Bloomfield H. Minch, of Hope, well made a favorable impression in the oration, "National Festival." The essay, "The Power of Silence," by Miss Laura M. English, of Greenwich, was very fine composition. Mr. Wm. J. McFarland's oration, "Physical Exercises," was a very creditable effort. The Zephyr Solo, "Mosaic," the "Polk de Concert," and the waltz, "Kiss from Merry War," interwoven between the speeches, drew forth applause from the audience, they were so magnificently given. Miss Lillian Hammon, of New York, in the essay, "One Phoebe of Criticism," showed talent of a high order, while Mr. Joseph Moore, of Bridgeton, the Salutatory, in rendering the oration, "The Actual and the Ideal Man," showed himself specially fitted for the profession which he is to enter. The essay, "The Poet's Love of Nature,"

by Miss Sara Ott, of Deerfield, was well read, and exhibited a knowledge of the poets and poetry rarely surpassed. Samuel P. Miller did exceedingly well in the oration, "Jeffrey Chaucer." This was followed by the famous Galop, "Heigh Ho," by Weingarten, which the Orchestra rendered splendidly. Miss Helen Cook, in the essay, "Supremacy of the Mind," gave evidence of culture and refined taste. Mr. John N. Baylis, of Bridgeton, in the oration on "Calculus," demonstrated with great success the various forms which calculus takes, and its usefulness in the world. This address was well prepared and ably delivered. Miss Catherine Burrows, however, in the essay, "Faith's Fortitude, with Valdictory," excelled her class mates. It was replete with thought, pleasantly and effectively delivered. This young lady is highly gifted. At the conclusion of the exercises diplomas were awarded the graduates by Professor Trask, and this act closed the 13th school year of the South Jersey Institute.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Education was held on Monday evening last, the 18th inst., at 8 o'clock. Members present: Messrs. Beadle (President), Stiles, Trenchard, Loper, Peck, Hancock, Lott and Supt. Moore. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Bills ordered paid:—Elmer Cann, \$15.34, for one-half of line fence on the north side of Bank street school property; Charles F. Dare, \$18.57, for books and stationery; Samuel Appleget, \$19, for coal; James Stiles, \$48.75, for taking school census in the First ward.

The School Superintendent reported a little over \$2,000 on hand for the use of the schools.

Several applications for positions as teachers were received and filed. On motion, the salaries of teachers was fixed the same as last year.

WHAT OUGHT TO BE.

There ought to be a better understanding among the people regarding what Oak Hall will do for them in Clothing for Men and Boys. Trade is active and sales very large, but there are still very many people that are losing money and comfort because they do not know the Oak Hall fine and rare goods and the Oak Hall bargains.

WHAT IS.

Oak Hall is crowded full of Clothing and Cloths that represent the best brains in woollens and tailoring. The stock is the biggest in the land for retail trade, and its equals in quality and style throughout the United States may be counted upon the fingers of one hand.

WANAMAKER & BROWN,

OAK HALL,
S. E. COR. SIXTH AND MARKET STS., PHILA.

Primary Department—Miss M. W. Laning, Principal; Miss J. W. Ware, 1st Assistant; Miss K. W. McCowan, 2d Assistant; Miss E. B. Fithian, 3d Assistant; Miss Maggie DuBois, 4th Assistant.

SECOND WARD SCHOOL.
Grammar Department—C. H. Platts, Principal.

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Loder School—E. D. Custer, Principal. E. T. Shaw was elected Janitor of the First and Second ward schools, and John D. Myers for the same position in the Third ward school. Salaries same as last year.

The census takers presented the following figures as the number of children of school age in this city: First Ward, 975; Second ward, 657; Third ward, 610; Loder, 70. Total in the city, 2281.

On motion, a committee of three was appointed to act in conjunction with a committee of three of Council, to select a lot for a new school house in the First ward. The Chair appointed Messrs. Stiles, Peck and Lott.

On motion it was ordered that the vacant room in Harmony Academy be fitted up for use.

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READ, THINK AND JUDGE.

A Statement Bristling with Facts.

The special offerings now are:

1,000 EXCELLENT CASSIMERE PANTALOONS, for Men and Large Boys, at \$2.00.
500 MEN'S CUSTOM MADE SUITS, at half-cost, or less than 40 cents on the dollar.
250 MEN'S ODD COATS, at less than 30 cents on the dollar, or being first put down to Bargain Prices, which make a loss, these prices are in turn divided by 2.

110 Black Wool Diagonal and Figured Worsted Coats and Vests to match, at \$10 for both.
90 LARGE BOYS' SUITS, at \$4.00.
167 SMALL BOYS' SUITS, at \$3.50.
30 SMALL BOYS' SUITS, at \$2.

The above are not old stock. There is a prize in every article, a small bonanza in almost all. They are less than 50 cents to the dollar.

The GENERAL Offerings having SPECIAL interest are: Forty-two lines Men's and Youths' Suits, covering nearly 4000 \$7.00 to \$10.00.

Including the above, one hundred and eighty-eight kinds of Men's Suits and eighty-seven kinds of Youths' Suits.

Eighty-nine kinds of Large Boys' Suits, from \$4.00 to \$15.00.
Ninety-six kinds of Small Boys' Suits, from \$2.00 to \$12.00.

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"The fact is, sir, and you may stick a pin into them, that the people of this country are likely to be deceived in a flood of larger beer," shouted an enthusiastic teetotaler the other day into the ear of your cornered correspondent. "That German drink has struck us hard. It is the second plague."

Yes, and the worst of this beer drinking business is that it gets up kidney troubles, as a heavy man raises the waves," added a city physician, who has knowledge of the most modern tendency to metaphor. "The midnight 'schonner' leaves behind it a wake of fever, rheumatism, headache, torpid livers, nausea and all that, and lays the foundation of Bright's Disease."

This melancholy fact, accounts in part for the increasing sales of BENSON'S CAPTIVE POLARIS PLANT, which at once mitigates these symptoms. Price 25 cents. Ask your physician about it. Reckless & Johnson, Chemists, New York.

STAGE LINE.

MILLVILLE & BRIDGETON

WINTER ARRANGEMENTS.

This line of stages will run as follows:

Leave Millville at 8.30 a. m., (upon the arrival of the train from Cape May, and at 9 p. m.)

Leave Bridgeton at 8.00 a. m., and 3.00 p. m., (in time to connect with the morning and evening trains for Cape May) Fare, 50 cents.

J. W. PANCOAST, PROPRIETOR AND DRIVER.

N. B.—Passengers on the Port Newark Railroad will stop at the East Bridgeton Station.

A WORD TO FISHMEN.

The place to buy Gill Twine, Gill Lines, either Cotton or Hemp Hanging Twine, Gill Hooks, &c., is at the East Bridgeton Station.

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All the leading Fashion Journals claim that this is to be the greatest season ever known for WHITE DRESS GOODS. Anticipating this fact long ago, we now can show an elegant variety of

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